

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Public Servants – Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District and others – Initiation of departmental actions u/r 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 read with under common proceedings u/r 24 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Article of charge – Issued.

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**AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (VIG I) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 438**

**Dated:23 -07-2014.**  
**Read the following:-**

1. From the C&DA, Hyd. Lr.No.Vig.IV(2)12/13, dated:04-02-2014
2. Govt. Memo.No.14504/Vig.I-1/2012, dated: 23 -07-1024.

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**ORDER :-**

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against the said Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District in accordance with procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of Article of Charges (Annexure-I). A list of witnesses by whom, and a list of documents by which the articles of charge are proposed to be sustained are enclosed (Annexure-II and III).

3. Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District is directed to submit within 15 days of the receipt of this G.O. a written statement of his defence and also to state whether he desires to be heard in person.

4. Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District is further informed that an Inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should therefore, specifically admit or deny the article of charge.

5. Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly MAO, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

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6. Attention of Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly MAO, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District is invited to rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly MAO, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of rule 24 of the A. P. Civil Service (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

**To**

Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg  
O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg Ananthapur District  
( through the C&DA, Hyderabad.)

**Copy to:**

The C&DA., Hyderabad with a request to serve the order on  
the charged officer and return the served copy with dated ack.,  
SC/Sf.

**// FORWARDED BY ORDER //**

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## **ANNEXURE – I**

### **STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI .ERLA PRASADA RAO, FORMERLY MANDAL AGRICULTURAL OFFICER, RAYADURG O/o ASST. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE, (REGULAR) RAYADURG.**

#### **Article of Charge – I:**

That the said Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg has not properly verified the arrivals of the seed in the Godown of ARSK, Rayadurg though the above delivery challans and Truck numbers as the Trucks proved as Auto Riksha and Motor Cycle. Thus he gives scope for fake Truck transaction and he issued Utilization Certificate for the same to claim the subsidy. He has raised 349 seed permits for a quantity of 261.75 Qtls., without obtaining the signatures of the farmers. Thus he has not performed his legitimate duties, responsibilities properly and violated the rule 3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules – 1964.

#### **Basis of Charge:**

Based on the allegations recommended in Inquiry report of Director General (Vig & Ent) & E.O. Prl. Secretary to Government, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

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## **ANNEXURE – II**

**List of documents by which article of charges framed against  
Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o  
Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg.**

- 1) Vigilance Inquiry report No.90 (C.No.389/V&E(Dev-II)/D1/2011) Dt:01-11-2012 of the Director General (Vig & Ent) & E.O. Prl. Secretary to Government, A.P. Hyderabad.

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## **ANNEXURE – III**

**List of witness by whom the article of charges framed against  
Sri Erla Prasad Rao, formerly Mandal Agricultural Officer, Rayadurg O/o  
Assistant Director of Agriculture (Regular) Rayadurg.**

1. Smt. N.P.Aparna, Management trainee, A.P MARKFED, Khammam.
2. Sri Murali Krishna, ARSK, Rayadurg.
3. Sri Ganeswara Rao, formerly Asst. Director of Agriculture (R) Rayadurg.

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